5th September 2013

To Ken Gaines

I provide my support as a professional industry body within the Information and Communication Technical sector, as I feel the following qualifications are suitable for a young person between the ages of 16-19 studying full time and will give that young person an advantage when applying, in the main for higher education, but also possible progressing onto an apprenticeship.

We at the IT Academy, University of York, support the inclusion of:

- City & Guilds Level 3 iTQ Certificate for IT users
- City & Guilds Level 3 Certificate in ICT Systems and Principles
- City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Diploma for Software Developers

for the DfE 2016 performance tables in the Applied General Level category.

We confirm that we consent to our University/High Education Institute name (and logo) being made publicly available on the DfE and City & Guilds websites

Yours sincerely

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